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Response to Office Action

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated **June 30, 2003**, and is submitted on or before the extended due date of **December 30, 2003**. A constructive petition for a three-month extension of time under 1.136(a)(3) and its requisite fee (\$475.00) are enclosed herewith. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge any fee deficiency, including fees under §1.17; or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing Atty. Dkt. 03678.0028.US04. The Examiner is requested to enter the amendments and consider the application.

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